

WOMAN AND BABY FOUND IN WOODS

Messenger Boy Leads Detectives to Midnight Camp.

A messenger boy, pale with excitement and almost breathless from running, entered police headquarters last night, found his way to the office of Lieut. Jas. Hartley and announced: "There's a lady out in the woods going to kill her baby if you don't catch her quick."

Hartley put the boy through a quick examination, pressed a couple of electric buttons and within two minutes had the police motor car, with Detective Serg. Burlingame and Kelley, and the boy, speeding to the place where he said he had left the woman.

A quick run brought the detectives to a point where they were forced to abandon the machine and walk to the spot.

While the detectives were talking the faint wail of a baby was heard. Following this sound they found the woman. She was sitting on the ground, holding a baby in her arms, with blankets, blankets, clothing, dishes and other household articles scattered about her.

Among these articles, the police say, was a bottle of whiskey and a bottle that evidently had contained whiskey. Detective Burlingame took the baby in his arms and Kelley aided the woman to her feet. The messenger gathered up the blankets and blankets. When the woman baby fresh and but how about killing it?" asked Burlingame.

"Well, that's none of your business," the woman replied.

The party reached police headquarters shortly before midnight. A bottle of milk was procured for the baby and the child drank most of it. Lieut. Hartley conducted an investigation.

The messenger said his name is Frank Riley, that he lives at 3039 R street northwest and is employed by the Dime Messenger Service. In response to a call,

Carranza Ship Burns; 200 Mexicans Perish

(By International News Service.)

Douglas, Ariz., Sept. 17.—News has just been received here of the destruction by fire of a steamer carrying Carranza troops from Manzanillo to Guaymas. Two hundred lives were lost.

Jose Dieges, brother of Gen. M. M. Dieges, who was on the steamer, on a special mission from Carranza to the Sonora officials, escaped, swimming ashore naked. The fire is believed to have been of incendiary origin. Legalists being suspected.

STRIVE TO HOLD DOWN MILK PRICE

Producers Seek Cent Rise Without Affecting Rate.

Interesting disclosures probably will be made during the coming week in the investigation of the prices of the two staple articles of food, bread and milk.

A meeting has been called for Tuesday afternoon, in the office of Judge C. W. Walker, chairman of the committee representing the Milk Producers' Association of Maryland and Virginia, in the Munsey Building, to bring the producers and distributors together.

At this meeting plans will be threshed out whereby the producers, who claim that they are now producing milk at a loss, may raise the price of their article one cent per quart without affecting the ultimate market price of the article.

It was the consensus of opinion among those who attended the producers' meeting last week that this could possibly be done by eliminating, or at least curtailing, some of the overhead expense.

A national investigation also is being conducted by experts from the Department of Agriculture and the Department of Justice, to determine whether the raising of prices of food articles throughout the country is the result of organization of the milk producers, or whether it is the normal result of the rise in the price of products.

It is announced by the commissioner of weights and measures in New York that today will mark the beginning of prosecution against those bakers whose loaves fall short of the weight marked upon them. During the past week nearly 300 violations of this law were found by the food inspectors in New York.

A law of this kind does not exist in Washington, where bakers have openly used these means to overcome the prohibitive prices of materials rather than raise the actual price of the bread.

President P. T. Moran, of the Chamber of Commerce, has announced that the chamber probably will discuss the bread question at its next meeting, but that no decisive action is expected favoring an immediate law for the standardization of bread weight.

LONGSHOREMEN VOTE SYMPATHETIC STRIKE

Call in Aid of New York Carmen Postponed.

(By the International News Service.)

New York, Sept. 17.—Votes on the question of a sympathetic strike to aid the street railway men were taken by six local unions of the Longshoremen and Tidewater boatmen, of New York today. All voted to strike, but set no time for the strike to begin.

The vote to call out the 5,000 men was placed in the hands of T. V. O'Connor, of Buffalo, president of the International Longshoremen's Association.

Heated arguments preceded the balloting, but the vote was taken in silence.

"There will be no strike before Thursday," said Mr. O'Connor tonight. "Maybe there will be none at all."

Mr. O'Connor mentioned the conference before Mayor Mitchell tomorrow as one reason for the vote. He expected sympathetic strike order. Other labor leaders said there is a general purpose to delay the sympathetic strike in support of the street railway men until the demonstration can be made an imposing one.

The conference in the mayor's office will be held at noon.

FIREMEN MAY HOLD GAMES OF THEIR OWN

Success of Police Field Day Acts as Spur.

Following the marked success of the police games held Saturday, a number of officials yesterday showed a desire to promote a similar meet for the fire department.

"It might be possible," says Commissioner Louis Brownlow, "to arrange such games on a smaller scale, for although the fire department is not so large as the police department, the number of entries could be curtailed without seriously affecting the success of the games. The city was amply protected Saturday, when about two-sevenths of the police were engaged in the meet as the police records will show. It might be possible to spare enough firemen to make quite a creditable showing without seriously affecting the city's protection."

Chief Wagner, of the fire department, also believes that something may be done along these lines in the future. He says: "In the past the firemen have held many affairs of a social nature and that no serious effects had resulted. The games may be staged should enough interest be shown among the firemen to warrant it."

There are a number of very clever athletes listed among the fire laddies, some of whom are the holders of medals as prizes for participation in various athletic events, and should the games be arranged, they can be depended upon to make a creditable showing.

The marked ability shown by the police in the games Saturday will probably lead toward the formation of a permanent athletic association in the department with the erection of a police gymnasium in some central location.

Should such an organization take place, it will probably start from the office of the chief of police, Maj. Pullman, who was very much interested in the showing made by his men Saturday. And the various comments that have been made since the New York Olympic champions, "Pat" McDonald, Egon Ericson and John Eller, who participated in the meet.

SIX KILLED AS AUTO IS STRUCK BY TRAIN

(By the International News Service.)

Bethlehem, Pa., Sept. 17.—Six persons were killed this afternoon when a Philadelphian and Reading train struck the automobile in which they were riding near Quakertown. The dead were all from Bethlehem.

The party, riding in William S. Unker's car, had left Quakertown to return to Bethlehem.

Trees obscured the railroad, and the automobile was full upon the tracks when hit by a special train. All six occupants of the car were killed instantly.

SETH LOW, FORMER HEAD OF NEW YORK CITY, DIES

Civic Leader Succumbs to Complication of Diseases.

(By the International News Service.)

New York, Sept. 17.—Seth Low, former mayor of New York, and at one time president of Columbia University, died today on his model farm at Bedford Hills, N. Y., where in recent years he had been giving close attention to scientific agriculture.

He was 66 years old. His death was ascribed to a complication of diseases, from which his health had been failing for many months. A crisis arrived Saturday night and the attending physician gave up hope for recovery.

Twice mayor of Brooklyn and once of Greater New York, formerly president of Columbia University, to which he gave \$1,000,000, and which he directed brilliantly through the most expansive eleven years of its history, Mr. Low continued almost to the end his active interest in public affairs.

As president of the National Civic Federation and in his personal capacity, he made a reputation as an ardent and able defender of the public interest in disputes between labor and capital. Both sides had confidence in his openness of judgment, while his tact and geniality contributed greatly to his success in adjusting obstinate differences.

One of the last semi-public honors conferred upon him was the presidency of the Chamber of Commerce of the State of New York, to which he was elected in 1914. His father, Abraham Low, had occupied the same position half a century earlier.

Seth Low had also been a delegate to the peace conference at The Hague.

SIR RICHARD CRAWFORD FINDS \$20 ON STREET

(By the International News Service.)

Sir Richard Crawford, trade adviser of the British Embassy, made another bid for fame yesterday. While strolling along Connecticut avenue he saw on the ground a small yellow note. Stopping, he reached it from the dust, and discovered that it was a perfectly good \$20 bill.

Calling the nearest policeman, who happened to be Officer H. R. Carr, of the Third precinct, he turned the money over to the police department, where it awaits the owner on demand at the Third precinct station.

PRESTO! WIFEY QUITS TALKING.

Wearry Husband Applies Mystic Plant Juice to Her Tongue.

St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 17.—John Keam's wife is talking again. The Keams spent Sunday at the Botanical Gardens. A gardener explained to them the mysterious of dumbcane, a plant if touched to the tongue, renders a person speechless.

Later, when they had moved on, John said: "Open your mouth, dear, and close your eyes. I've something for you."

He had. It was the dumbcane, and Mrs. Keam was rushed to the hospital, where she recovered the use of her tongue after several hours.

CATHOLIC URGES STATE INSURANCE

Unemployment Measures Are Urged at Charities Meeting.

Social insurance as a means of correcting modern economic inequalities, involving charity as preferable to State-controlled benevolent works, and the organization of Catholic young men's and young women's associations were among the subjects discussed yesterday by delegates to the National Conference of Catholic Charities in McMahon Hall, Catholic University.

The conference was formally opened at 10 o'clock with solemn high mass in the Franciscan Monastery, with Right Rev. Bishop Thomas J. Shahan as celebrant. Right Rev. Bishop J. Henry Tihen, of Lincoln, Neb., in his sermon, commended the purpose of the conference to lessen materially "the all too great amount of economic misery that afflicts humanity."

Following the mass, a general conference convened in the monastery at 11:30 o'clock. Bishop Shahan delivered an address of welcome.

In the afternoon there was a meeting of the women's section in McMahon Hall, which was addressed by Rev. Father Edward Garesche, S. J., of St. Louis. The first meeting of the conference proper was held at 8 o'clock last night in McMahon Hall, where the sessions will continue until the close of the convention Wednesday morning.

There are 500 delegates in attendance, and it is expected that about 300 more will be here before tonight. It is uncertain whether Cardinal Gibbons will be present.

WOULD HOLD CARRANZA FOR BORDER TROUBLES

American Commissioners May Propose Compromise Solution.

(By the International News Service.)

New London, Conn., Sept. 17.—Lest Gen. Carranza orders his envoys home because the American troops are not withdrawn from Mexico, the American delegates are considering a compromise plan of solving the border question.

It provides that in case the American troops are brought back to the United States Carranza will be held entirely responsible for the protection of the frontier.

It will then become the duty of the First Chief to concentrate troops along the international line, where such bandits as Villa have threatened to break through, and patrol other sections with rurales organized like the Canadian mounted police.

Another condition that will be imposed on Mexico, according to this plan, is that the United States officials co-operate with the Mexican authorities in carrying out Carranza's promised reforms.

The American delegates are convinced that it is useless to talk about any settlement of the border questions until the underlying evils of Mexican political and economic life are eliminated.

Although Carranza insists that he is able to regenerate Mexico, the Americans entertain serious doubts.

They are unable to understand how he can perform this herculean task without the assistance of this government.

U. S. ENDS PROBE OF RUSSO-JAP ALLIANCE

Will Not Act Further Unless Assurances Are Contravened.

The United States will demand no further information from Japan concerning the Russo-Japanese alliance and Japanese operations in Inner Mongolia "unless Japan commits an act in contravention of the assurances given this government last week."

A State Department authority asserted yesterday that it would be most unusual and even offensive for America to assume, by making additional inquiries after receiving formal assurances, that the Tokyo government had been dissimulating.

The State Department expects additional reports from its diplomats and consular officers in China on Japanese activities in China, especially in Manchuria and Inner Mongolia. The scene of the recent difficulty at Chem-Chaiun, Mongolia, is so distant from these officers that investigations undertaken by the United States necessarily would require considerable time.

Unless the expected reports contain information of specific acts by Japanese authorities in violation of Japan's agreement with this country respecting the status quo in China, the "open door" policy, and the principle of maintenance of China's territorial integrity, the State Department will take no action.

PRINCE ALBERT, HOME FROM NAVY DUTY, ILL

(By the International News Service.)

London, Sept. 17.—Official announcement was made today that Prince Albert, second son of King George V., has been invalided home because of severe abdominal trouble.

The prince is doing well at Windsor Castle, but it will be some time before he will be able to return to duty.

A Sixteenth century ship in the navy. He has suffered from gastric disorders for some time. Last April he had to undergo a course of treatment. In August, 1914, he was operated on for appendicitis.

HE TAKES AN EASY CUE.

"L" Guard, Ignorant of Streets, Finds Way to Call Them.

New York, Sept. 17.—The man who told this yesterday vowed it was true: stopped at Fourteenth street, on the front platform of a car was a guard, regularly employed. On the rear platform was a strikebreaker, who did not even know the numbers of the cross streets.

"Fourteenth street," mumbled the guard.

"Same at this end," yelled the strikebreaker.

Telegraph Tips

Toledo, Ohio, Sept. 17.—Frank Reio, of Ann Arbor, sold a perfectly good touring car for \$100 to pay his fine. Reio had been arrested for driving the car while under the influence of liquor and was fined \$100. He could not pay, and a local man offered him \$100 in a joking way for the car he took it, paid his fine and left.

Berlin, Sept. 17.—The headman's axe was used today in the execution of Johannes Ullmann, one of two participants in a shocking murder here last March.

Poughkeepsie, Sept. 17.—Lucille Tompkins was indicted yesterday of \$2,000 in her \$50,000 breach of promise suit against Edward Yale. A sealed verdict was returned last night and opened this morning.

WOULD MODERATE MAIL CENSORSHIP

British Embassy Plans Conference with Business Men.

Sir Richard Crawford, commercial adviser of the British Embassy, is arranging with prominent American banking, commercial, and industrial interests for a conference to be held at an early date in New York City.

The object of the conference will be to devise some means whereby the obnoxious effects of the British censorship of American mails may be ameliorated.

The volume of complaints from American business interests has become so formidable that the British government has decided to try direct talks with them, the State Department through its diplomatic efforts having failed to obtain any relief from England.

Announcement of the conference to be held in New York was construed here by some officials to indicate that the British reply to the American protest against England's interference with United States mails on the high seas will resist this government's contentions and reassert England's claimed right to interrupt mails.

The British reply, which was promised to the State Department by the London foreign office by the middle of September, has not yet been presented.

Some well-informed persons, however, declared yesterday their belief that the reply has been received by the British Embassy, which has delayed its presentation in view of the growing impatience of the American people with England's arbitrary practices injurious to this country's commerce and prestige.

16 VILLISTAS SEIZED BY PERSHING'S TROOPS

Bandits Captured in Mexican Raid, Together with Arms.

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PLAN TO FILL RANKS OF U. S. RESERVE CORPS

Examinations Soon to Be Authorized for Selection of Officers.

The War Department is preparing to authorize the holding of examinations in the various military departments of the country for the officers' reserve corps, created by the last Congress.

This corps is expected to contain several thousands of officers within two or three years and will be the main reliance of the army training volunteers in event of war.

The Reserve Corps will consist of sections corresponding to the various arms, the corps and departments of the regular army. Its members will not be subject to call for service in times of peace, except for specific causes named in the act, and whenever called will not be called in by the grade that held by them in the Reserve Corps.

Under the War Department's regulations, recently issued, boards will be appointed by department commanders for the examining of applicants in their departments.

Applicants for commission of second lieutenant must be between 21 and 32 years of age; for first lieutenant must not be more than 36; for captain not more than 40; for major not more than 45.

No person will be examined unless he has a letter from the Adjutant General of the Army or the adjutant of the department in which he lives, or the head of the staff corps or department concerned authorizing his examination.

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Teutons Sink 126 Enemy Vessels During August

(By International News Service.)

Berlin (via Sayville), Sept. 17.—Official announcement was made today that during August 126 hostile ships of 170,679 gross tonnage were destroyed by German or Austrian submarines or by mines.

Thirty-five neutral merchant ships carrying contraband of war to enemy countries were also destroyed.

Between September 3 and 11 German submarines destroyed in the English Channel and Atlantic Ocean twenty-six hostile merchant ships of 36,230 gross tonnage.

BULGARS PUSHED BACK BY ALLIES

Army Retreats Toward Monastir, Victors Pursuing.

(By the International News Service.)

London, Sept. 17.—The Bulgarian right wing in Macedonia, unable to check the serious onrush of Serb, French, and Russian forces, is retreating to the northward, on both sides of Lake Ostrova, in the direction of Monastir. Equally great pressure is exerted on their left wing by the British and Italian, on the Struma, but there the Bulgarian troops seem to be holding their own.

The French big guns are keeping up an incessant drumfire against the Bulgarian center, between the Vardar and Lake Doiran, the defenders' guns replying vigorously.

The Serbs, during the last twenty-four hours, again defeated the Bulgarians in battles before Vetrenik and Kapnikan, east of the Czerna River, according to today's statement from Gen. Sarraill's headquarters at Salonika.

The Serbs drove the Bulgarians over the Brod River, northwest of Lake Ostrova. The defenders are "powerfully entrenched" on the right bank of the river, according to the official report.

Meanwhile the Franco-Russian forces forming the link between the allied left and center are pushing their pursuit of the Bulgarians toward Florina.

Their advance guards have arrived before the town, but it is still held by the Bulgarians, though its capture is expected hourly.

The Bulgarian war office late tonight admitted the loss of Nisepce and Nina, near Lake Ostrova.

Allied warships shelled Kavalla.

5 AUSTRIAN POSITIONS SEIZED BY ROUMANIANS

Ten Officers and 900 Men Captured, Says Report.

(By the International News Service.)

London, Sept. 17.—The capture of five Austrian positions by the Roumanians operating in the Transylvanian Alps was announced by the Bucharest war office tonight. Ten officers and 900 men were taken prisoners. The statement says:

"On the northwestern front we occupied Somorad, Almas, Chohalm and Soagras. We took 910 prisoners, including 10 officers, and captured some war material."

"In the Streu Valley Bran Hill was captured by us. We took seventy-six prisoners. Our batteries sank two munitions barges near the mouth of Lom River."

"In the Dobruja there were engagements with advanced detachments of the enemy."

"BILLY" SUNDAY SLATED FOR GOTHAM REVIVAL

"Ma" Sunday Conducting Negotiations with New York Clergy.

(By the International News Service.)

New York, Sept. 17.—"Billy" Sunday will begin a two months' campaign in New York on March 1. A tabernacle for his use will be constructed at 16th street and Broadway. These arrangements are subject to change if the attitude of New York clergymen is negative to his interests.

A letter to this effect was received from the evangelist's wife today. It was read at a meeting attended by many clergymen. Mrs. Sunday pointedly asks what the New York churches will do to support her husband. She said in part:

"If it is possible for you to state at the moment just what is the attitude of your official board toward this campaign we would like to know at once. We would also like to know what is the attitude of your people, and lastly don't delay a moment in letting us know just what is your own attitude, as a New York minister, toward Sunday and his campaign."

A canvass among ministers and their official boards seemed to show very general support of the Sunday plans. No outspoken opponents were found. Some said they do not wholly approve of Sunday, and of his control by "Ma" Sunday, but that they would say nothing against the campaign.

\$4,000,000 COPPER IMPORT.

Shipment from Chili—Demand Larger Than Supply.

New York, Sept. 17.—Demands now made upon copper producers in this country to supply the metal for home and foreign consumption are of such unprecedented proportions that they are compelled to seek other markets to supply these wants.

There was imported into this port yesterday a shipment of 6,500 tons of the red metal in ingots and bars the value of which was in excess of \$4,000,000. This copper arrived on the American steamship "Sherman" from Valparaiso and Antofagasta, Chile, and was consigned to American interests.

ALLIES FORGING AHEAD IN WEST

French Capture Greater Part of Two Somme Villages.

(By the International News Service.)

London, Sept. 17.—Both the British and French increased their gains on the Somme front during the last twenty-four hours.

The French, after two days of comparative rest, resumed their drive south of the Somme this afternoon.

The captured greater part of the villages of Vermandovillers and Berny, portions of which they have held for more than a week.

Tonight the Germans were holding out only in isolated places of the two villages.

The day's fighting put the French in possession of the whole ground between the Vermandovillers and Dencourt-Berny sectors.

At Dencourt, the Germans are still desperately defending every inch of ground, but the two tips of the southern line of the great salient have been completely crushed in.

Gen. Foch's infantry added still further to this success by capturing a number of trenches between Berny and Barleux.

Repeated furious counter-attacks were beaten off by the French curtain of fire. Seven hundred prisoners, including fifteen officers, were taken by the French in the day's advance.

The British last night extended their gains near Courcellette on a front of 1,000 yards, pushing their lines further northward against Baginne.

At the same time they captured the formidable German stronghold known as the "Danube trench" on a front of about a mile, near Thiepval, and the powerful field work near the Monquet Farm, bitterly contested for many weeks.

RUSSIANS RESUME DRIVE ON LEMBERG

Launch New Offensive—Fall of Halicz Awaited Hourly.

(By the International News Service.)

London, Sept. 17.—The Russians have resumed the drive on Lemberg with full vigor.

The Petrograd war office announced tonight that the Russians have captured Teuton positions south of Brzezany (6 miles southeast of Lemberg), taking four hundred officers and 87 Turkish soldiers.

In an encircling movement, against Halicz, sixty miles south of the Galician capital, the Russians have taken 4,776 German prisoners, including thirty-four officers. The fall of Halicz is expected hourly.

Simultaneously with the resumption of the campaign against Lemberg, the Russians took the offensive in Volhynia on the whole front south of Pinsk.

The German war office stated this afternoon that the "Muscovite" attacks launched "morning, afternoon and evening" on a front of twelve and one-half miles, with strong forces and in numerous waves, "were repulsed everywhere."

BELIEVE U-LINER LIES IN WAITING OFF COAST

New London Authorities Expect Arrival Within Forty-Eight Hours.

(By the International News Service.)

New London, Conn., Sept. 17.—Unusual activity along the water front here tonight, similar to that which prevailed at Newport, Rhode Island, when the German liner, the "Munich," arrived here, lent strong belief to the persistent rumor that another German U-boat is waiting for a favorable opportunity to make an American port.

One direct from an authentic source stated that the undersea boat has reached American shores, and is somewhere off the eastern extremity of Long Island, waiting to make its final dash under cover of a fog.

Officials at the United States submarine base of New London this afternoon admitted they had heard a similar report, but added they were making no effort to offer any aid, because they have not been officially informed as to the presence of a foreign submarine in our waters.

"With nothing but running lights showing, a powerful sea-going tug, said to have been chartered by agents of the German U-boat, left port tonight and headed for the open sea. The great secrecy seemed a positive proof to British agents who have been closely following the movements of the German mercantile agents here that the long-lost German U-boat was on its way to be here within forty-eight hours."

JAMES C. COURTS, HOUSE COMMITTEE CLERK, DIES

James C. Courts, clerk of the House Committee on Appropriations, died yesterday afternoon, at his summer home, at Arundel-on-the-Bay, Maryland, after a brief illness of pneumonia. He was 61 years old and had been a congressional attaché continuously for forty-one years.

When Mr. Atkin became chairman of the Committee on Appropriations in the Forty-fifth Congress he named Mr. Courts assistant clerk of that committee. He served in this capacity from October 2, 1877, until January 1, 1884, when he advanced to the position of clerk, which he held until his death.

Mr. Courts is survived by his widow and four children. Lieut. George McCall Courts, U. S. A., is his son.

MUSKRAT FARMERS THRIVE

Big Profits Made from Hides of Animals They Raise.

Madison, Wis., Sept. 17.—How increased muskrat farmers in Winnebago County and vicinity got \$5,435 of these animals during the year ending June 30 and sold the hides for \$25,210.60 is told in the records of the Conservation Commission.

A unique one, and this year is the first recognized under the law passed by the government for the licensing of specific premises for this purpose, the taking of the animals to be reported to the commission.

The farmer doing the largest business reported the sale of 12,135 muskrat hides for a total of \$5,932.60.